

PROCEED AGAINST PACKERS FOR 40 LAW VIOLATIONS

Federal Trade Commission Has Made Arrangements to Act Under the Clayton Law

They Were Not Compro- mised When Packers Agreed to Abandon Wholesale Grocery Business

By DON E. CHAMBERLAIN
(United Press Correspondent)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The federal trade commission has arranged to proceed against the packers for more than forty violations of the Clayton anti-trust act, it was learned today.

Compromises of the department of justice cases against the "Big Five" whereby an agreement to abandon trade in certain side lines within two years, effected only those charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. In the Sherman law it is proper that criminal prosecutions shall be instituted by the department of justice. It is these prosecutions that have been compromised.

Under the clause, it is proper that civil actions for dissolution of an alleged trust shall be instituted by the federal trade commission. These prosecutions have not been compromised. Section seven of the Clayton law empowers the commission to investigate unfair and unlawful methods of competition and to try offenders before a committee composed of members of the commission which has the power to cause them to "cease and desist from the violation." An investigation of this order can be obtained through the federal court, providing it proves the legality of the commission's finding. Under the law the commission can order a trust dissolution but every trust fighting the case eventually gets into federal court.

Grocers Refuse to Drop Suit Against The Packers

(By United Press)
Chicago, Dec. 20.—The national wholesale grocers association today refused to drop its suit against the big five packers before the federal trade commission.

Transport Ready to Sail With Reds

Berkman and Goldman Will Be
Among Them it is Reported
(By United Press)

New York, Dec. 20.—The American transport Beaufort, veteran of the Spanish war, was at the pier in South Brooklyn ready to sail on two hours' notice. While no official statement has been issued regarding its mission it was generally understood she was scheduled to take three hundred men and women "Reds" to Russia. Among them was believed to be Emma Goldman and Berkman, anarchist leaders, who were defeated in a fight against their deportation.

27 I. W. W. Given Long Jail Terms

Kansas City, Kan., Dec. 19.—Federal Judge John C. Pollock late yesterday passed sentence on twenty-seven members of the Industrial Workers of the World, found guilty by a jury in the federal district court of conspiracy against the government. The sentences ranged from three to nine years in the penitentiary at Leavenworth.

Judge Pollock granted the defendants 90 days in which to perfect an appeal.

Prospects for Peace Jan. 1 Not Bright

German Objection to Compensation
for Scapa Flow Reparation May
Cause Delay

By HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, Dec. 20.—The light of peace still glimmers in the distance today. Allied and German peace makers admit they have little hope that the protocol will be signed and the Versailles treaty declared effective before the new year. They said that they did not expect it even "early" in 1920.

German naval technicians have opposed the much-debated clause in the protocol by which the allies demand compensation for the sinking of the interned fleet at Scapa Flow. This was assigned as the chief cause of delay.

If the treaty is not made effective before January 1 certain clauses will become void. This will necessitate signing of an additional protocol by Germany in which they must promise to carry out the clauses of the Versailles pact and the terms of the armistice.

Villa Near Border Pursued By Troops

By RALPH TURNER
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Mexico City, Dec. 20.—Pancho Villa and his bandit forces are approaching the Rio Grande with Mexican federal troops in close pursuit. General Barragan, Minister of war announced tonight.

Barragan said that if Villa escapes from the state of Chihuahua he crossed into Coahuila and then moved northward and now is in the Pinar mountains.

The war minister said reports of shipment of arms and munition to Mexico from Germany are absolutely false.

President Gets Sugar Bill

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The house today sent to the president the bill extending power of the sugar equalization board through the year 1929 and accepted the amendment of the senate to end the licensing system of producers and large users of sugar on July 1, 1920.

Increased Compensation To Wounded Passes House

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The house today passed the conference report on the bill granting an increase of war risk compensation for wounded soldiers.

Can't Make Booze at Home

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—The state supreme court yesterday drove the last nail in the coffin of John Barleycorn. It ruled that citizens can not manufacture liquor in their homes even for personal use, even if it only has the teeniest, weeniest bit of a kick in it.

All manufacture of intoxicating liquor for a beverage is forbidden said the court. Possession, sale, disposition or transportation is forbidden.

The court held that under the state law even one half of one per cent alcohol may be construed to make beverages difficult under the class of liquor.

COL. AVALOFF-BERMONDT



Col. Avaloff-Bermond, who took over the command of the German troops in the Baltic provinces and attacked Riga.

Sixteen Killed In Collision

Also 20 are Injured When Passenger
Train Crashes Into a
Freight

(By United Press)

Montreal, Quebec, Dec. 20.—Sixteen persons were reported killed or burned to death in a collision of two Canadian Pacific trains today near Onawa, Maine. There were more than a score injured.

According to information received here a special carrying passengers from the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of France, which docked yesterday at St. Johns, New Brunswick, crashed into a freight train. The latter telescoped the engine and forward car of the special. The wreckage took fire.

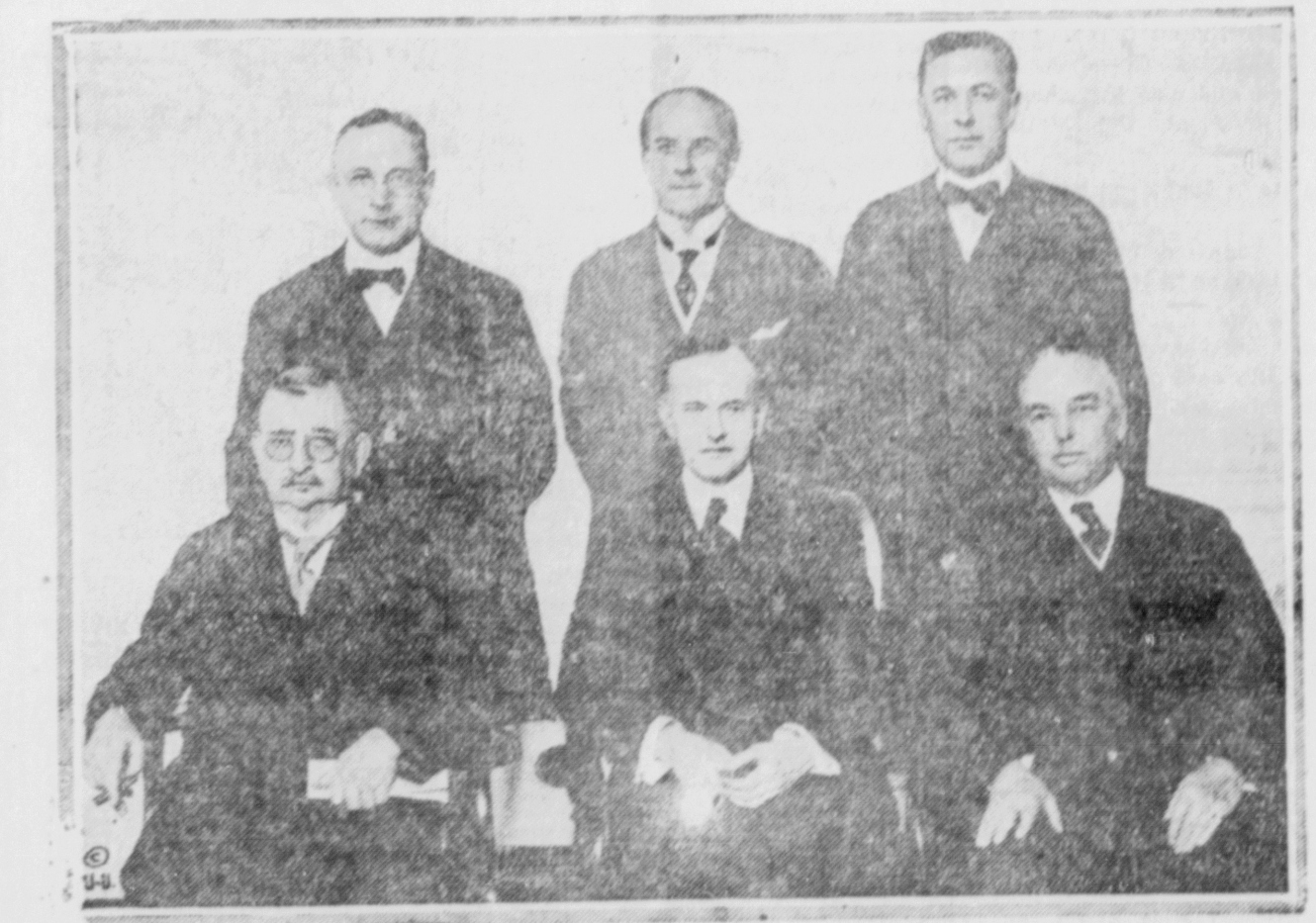
Interest in Liquid Spirits Gives Way to Real Spirits

New York, Dec. 20.—A quickened interest in phenomena is sweeping the country in a wave, it was revealed through information that the selling of ouija boards and books on spiritualism has increased beyond measure in the last two months.

Buyers have bought large stocks and have difficulty in obtaining enough to supply the demand.

It is safe to say the demand has increased 500 per cent in the last two months.

Six Governors Who Urge That Railroads in New England States Be Given Financial Aid When Returned to Owners



Governors of all the New England states, who met at Boston on invitation of Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts to consider transportation and fuel problems, adopted resolutions urging that financial assistance be given the New England railroads by the federal government after their return to private control and that the United States Shipping Board be requested to "allocate some of its large ships to New England owners, operators and managers of steamers." This photograph taken at the conference, shows from left to right, sitting: Governor Holcomb of Connecticut; Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts; Governor Clement of Vermont; standing, Governor Bartlett of New Hampshire; Governor Beekman of Rhode Island; Governor Miliken of Maine.

Soldier's Bonus Act Held Constitutional

First Payments Expected to be Made
Early in New Year as a
Result

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 20.—The state supreme court today upheld the validity of the soldier bonus act appropriating \$20,000,000 for bonus to soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses who served in the world war. As a result the first payments are expected to be made early next year. The act awards \$15 for each month in service.

Tiger Will Retire From Premiership

Reported He Will be a Candidate for
Presidency—With Probably no
Opposition

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 20.—Premier Clemenceau of France has decided definitely to retire from the premiership in about two months it was reported authoritatively today.

From those close to the "Tiger" it was learned that during the recent conference in London between Clemenceau, Lloyd George and Sceloloni statements were given that the French premier virtually had decided to accept the presidency.

He has been assured there will be no opposition if he becomes a candidate according to this information.

Viscount French Has a Narrow Escape

By GEORGE McDONOUGH
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 20.—The attack yesterday upon Viscount French, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, failed because the Field Marshal's train was two minutes ahead of schedule when it reached Ashtown it was learned today. There was a persistent rumor that French had been wounded but this could not be verified. The man who was shot was identified as Martin Lavoy, a grocer assistant.

Drastic Legislation Against Radicalism

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—Drastic legislation to deal with all forms of radicalism whether it be the work of aliens or American citizens will be drafted by the house judiciary committee.

LADY IRIS CAPELL



Speculating on the bride the prince of Wales may choose, social gossip in England frequently names Lady Iris Capell as a favorite. Lady Iris is the lovely young daughter of the earl and countess of Essex, her mother being the former Adele Grant of New York.

Tanker Wrecked, 30 Lives Lost

Ran on Reef on Oregon Coast and
Broke in Two—Ten Escape in
Life Boat

(By United Press)

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 20.—The oil tanker J. A. Chanslow, has been wrecked on a reef off Cape Blanco, Oregon, with a loss of thirty or more lives, according to advices received here today by the Marine department of the chamber of commerce.

The tanker, bound from Portland to San Francisco, broke in two shortly after it had left the reef. Captain A. C. Sawyer and ten others managed a life boat and arrived at Cape Blanco, Oregon. Those who survived were in the forward part of the tanker and that part sank last.

Only Three Saved

Portland, Ore., Dec. 20.—Only three persons aboard the oil tanker J. A. Chanslow, wrecked off Cape Blanco, were saved according to message received here today by Mrs. Sawyer, wife of the tanker's captain. The crew it was reported number 39 men. This would indicate that 36 lives were lost.

Shopmen Renew Demands

Washington, Dec. 20.—Officials of the railway shop union called on Rail Director Hines today to renew their demand for wage increase.

SENATE PASSES CUMMINS R. R. BILL BY A VOTE OF 46 TO 30

Senator LaFollette Fought it to the Last Ditch, Declaring the American People Had Been Mislead

Knox Resolution Considered Today

By Senate Foreign Relations Committee—Believed Will be
Recommended

By L. C. MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate foreign relations committee today took up Senator Knox's resolutions purposed to bring about peace between the United States and Germany.

Senator Lodge and other members of the committee predicted that it will be received favorably. One resolution that declares a state of peace exists and the other provides for ratification of all portions of the Versailles treaty except those regarding the league of nations.

Several democrat members of the committee are away and the republican majority will have no trouble reporting either resolution, Hitchcock said today.

The proposal to ratify the treaty with the league of nations is, however, favored among senators, who want a league of nations on some basis. But even these regard it as a last resort, and would not vote for it now. They are ready to support it if all efforts to adopt a compromise fail.

Senator Thomas, of Colorado, democrat, is the latest recruit to move favoring this plan. Thomas said that he cannot vote for the treaty so long as it contains the league covenant and labor provisions in their present form. Thomas declared that Knox's plan is beyond the power of congress.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate foreign relations committee today by a vote of seven to three ordered favorable report on the Knox resolution declaring peace between the United States and Germany.

The vote was directly on partisan lines. Senator Lodge, chairman of the committee who was instructed to report at once, went to the senate with it immediately.

When the committee met today Lodge presented his concurrent resolution of some weeks ago declaring a state of peace. Knox then proposed his amendment for a joint resolution. A lively debate ensued before the committee voted on the Knox resolution providing that peace shall become effective upon the ratification of the peace treaty between Germany and three of the principal allied and associated powers "providing that, however, the German government assures acquiescence in the benefits conferred to the United States under the treaty and covenant contained in the treaty of Versailles, conferring upon the United States and its nationals, all rights, powers or benefits whatsoever, and the concession to the United States all rights, privileges, indemnity, reparation and advantage which the United States would have been entitled to if it were a ratifying party to the treaty. The president of the United States shall have power to regulate commerce between the United States and Germany and make loans and credits in furnishing or financing a system of supplies to the German government."

Berger Re-Elected by Large Majority

Unseated Socialist Again Elected to
Represent the Fifth Wisconsin
District

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 20.—Victor L. Berger, unseated socialist congressman, was re-elected yesterday to represent the fifth Wisconsin district.

At the end of a hot campaign Berger polled 24,367 votes against the 19,561 cast for Henry Bodenstab, fusion candidate. Berger's majority was 4,806.

At 3:30 Vote Was Taken With the Result as Stated Above

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate late today passed the Cummins railroad bill providing for a return to private ownership and control of the railroads. The bill now goes to conference. The vote was 46 to 30.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate shortly before noon today started on the last lap of consideration of the Cummins railroad bill. A final vote was set for 3:30.

Before taking up the Cummins bill the senate acted on the McNary sugar bill which continues government control for another year.

Attacking the Cummins bill in urging his substitutes for continuing government control and operation of the railroads for two more years, Senator La Follette declared the American people have been misled into belief that the return of the roads will save the country from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 a year.

Pershing Feted by Chicago Citizens

Chicago, Dec. 20.—General John J. Pershing today owned Chicago. He was the center of one of the greatest entertainments ever planned for a hero.

An address in the forenoon for Legion men only was to be followed by a parade with Pershing the chief attraction. In the afternoon a reception for the public and evening session. The evening was to be featured by presentation of medals to Chicago heroes.

Ten Strike Breakers Arrive at International Falls

International Falls, Minn., Dec. 20.—Ten strike breakers, said to be from Chicago, arrived in International Falls today to take the place of union railroad men who quit work because E. Backus, millionaire president of the M. D. & W. road demanded that they work ten hours instead of eight.

There was rejoicing when members of Company M. of the 5th Inf. were informed that they were to be "out of the trenches" by Christmas. It was declared that members of the Company D of the 5th Inf. would arrive from Winona.

Dansey Alive Say Arthur Reeve

Hammon, N. J., Dec. 20.—That Billy Dansey is still alive and is in San Francisco was the tip given Atlantic county authorities by Arthur B. Reeves, writer of the scientific detective stories who investigated the Dansey mystery for the newspaper enterprise association. The information came to Reeves in a letter postmarked Pittsburg, the former home of the Danseys. Reeves turned the letter over to authorities.

Selection of Democratic Leader

Washington, Dec. 20.—Senators today received notice that the caucus set for this morning to select a leader to succeed the late Senator Martin has been postponed until January 15.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:
Minnesota—Fair tonight and
probably Sunday, not much change
in temperature.
North Dakota—Fair tonight, be-
coming unsettled Sunday, not much
change in temperature.
Co-operative observer's record, 6
P. M.—
Dec. 10—Maximum 20, minimum
6. Reading in evening, 19. South-
west wind. Cloudy. Trace snow.
Dec. 20—Minimum during night,
19.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For Spring Water phone 264. **tf**
Rosaries and prayer books, at H. P.
Dunn's, druggist. 16912

A guest of R. D. Stitzel is his father
from Waterloo, Iowa.

Books for boys and girls at H. P.
Dunn's, druggist. 16912

Fine dry shelled popcorn 12 1/2 lb.
Turootte Bros. 17014

Mrs. E. E. Dunham was very sick
several days from ptomaine poison-
ing.

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop
Mercantile Co. 1531f

Perfumes and toilet waters are
gifts that are appreciated, all the
new and popular odors at H. P.
Dunn's, druggist. 16912

Mrs. Henry Temple has gone to
Grundy Center, Iowa, for a month's
visit with her brothers.

Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals!
Every penny helps a worthy cause.
16816

NOTICE ALL MUSICIANS OF LOCAL 517

Meeting 10 o'clock Sunday morn-
ing in small Trades & Labor hall.
Nomination of officers. New rates
for next year will be taken up. To
your interest to be there. Smoking.
Louis O. Johnson, Sec'y. 1f

Leather Music Rolls \$1.50. Fol-
som Music Co. 16616

Mrs. P. S. Parker and son Clyde
E. Parker went to the Twin Cities
on this morning's early train.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop
Mercantile Co. 1531f

Sherwood Hartley returned home
from Pillsbury Academy for a holi-
day vacation with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. R. J. Hartley.

Special list of Dance Records just
received by Art Hickman Orchestra.
don't fail to hear them. Folsom
Music Co. 16616

The sensible gift for your wife,
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ing Machine. 16618

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ticle. Overcoats from \$29 to \$65.

Kodaks make appropriate Christ-
mas gifts. Complete line at H. P.
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So heavy was holiday travel on the
Northern Pacific and Minnesota &
International railway last night that
extra coaches were needed.

Here is something worth digging
into: A big Christmas discount on
every one of our strong business
courses if you enroll this week or
next. Get your name in now and
start your Business Education right
after the holidays. Don't let this big
opportunity slip by. The Brainerd
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Brainerd Chapter No. 42, R. A. M.

Alpha Chapter No. 23, O. E. S.

SATURDAY EVENING DEC. 20

Music and Light Refreshments

A special Christmas discount is be-
ing offered for this week and next
only, by the Brainerd Commercial
College on any course taught in this
great Business School. For your own
sake write or call at once so that you
may take advantage of these low
holiday rates. Get your name in now
and start your course with the New
Year. 16714

Miss Ethel Thomas and Miss Hazel
Worden, attending St. Cloud normal,
have arrived home to spend their va-
cations with their parents.

Make her gift a practical one. We
suggest a Singer Sewing machine. B.
W. Orne, 724 Laurel St. 16618

A great variety of Christmas cards
in pretty designs, at H. P. Dunn's,
druggist. 16912

Miss Mavis Grinols will soon leave
for Pine River for her holiday vaca-
tion. Her sister visited with her
today and both were shopping.

Kodaks, the kinds that are guaran-
teed or money refunded, at H. P.
Dunn's, druggist. 16912

See our windows for Christmas
suggestions. H. P. Dunn, druggist.
16912

The weather has moderated and
coal bins and wood piles are partially
recovering from the recent shocks
administered during the cold snap.

Fancy Stationery for Christmas
gifts, at H. P. Dunn's, druggist.
16912

A tie or two goes especially well in
a combination of things, making up
a Christmas package for a favored
person. Let H. W. Linnemann help
you solve some of your Christmas
shopping. See the beautiful Christ-
mas neckwear there. 1661ts

Arthur P. Anderson, who is attend-
ing St. Olaf college at Northfield, will
spend the Christmas holidays with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ander-
son.

Protect the children! In most
cases tuberculosis infection comes
during childhood. Little children
are helpless against this menace.
You know the danger, guard them!
Use Red Cross Christmas Seals. Each
seal is a penny's worth of cure and
prevention. 16816

Miss Lydia Nelson is coaching the
cantata at the Clara (Swedish) Luth-
eran church and also has charge of
Christmas music at the Methodist
church.

If you are in doubt, get her a Sing-
er. 16618

Moore's Fountain Pens, the kind
that don't leak, at H. P. Dunn's, druggist.
16912

The fire department was called to
Northeast Brainerd at 10 o'clock this
morning, being a chimney fire at the
home of Albert Kosbab, 423 Forsyth
street. It was quickly extinguished.

Red Cross Christmas Seals are on
sale in many places in Brainerd, at
the Ransford hotel, postoffice, H. P.
Michael Co. store, the banks, at the
O'Brien Mercantile Co. store. 16816

Attention! Get your Xmas Hair-
cut early and avoid that long wait
Xmas eve. McGill & Burney, Rans-
ford Barber Shop. 16912

Brainerd Commercial College girls
leaving for their homes to spend the
holiday vacation were the Misses Ag-
nes Danielson and Bernice Reinartz
to Gennef and Miss Violet Loft to
Park Rapids.

Myrtle wood is new and attractive
and made up in a number of pretty
designs. H. P. Dunn, druggist. 16912

The slogan contest originated in
the Dispatch is drawing many re-
plies and the desk of the contest ed-

itor is daily receiving fresh solutions.
First prize is a cash prize and second
a subscription to the Weekly Dis-
patch.

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store will be open to serve the pub-
lic until 8 P. M. Monday and Tues-
day evenings, December 22 and 23.
17012

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special Christmas discount ought to
make you realize the importance of
starting your business course right
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YOU MUST BE THERE
U. C. T. Meeting
TONIGHT
DON'T FAIL

Teachers leaving the city for holi-
day vacations include Miss Mary
Tornstrom to Excelsior, the Misses
Walsh to Duluth; Miss Jess Olden-
burg to Green Bay, Wis.; Miss Eliza-
beth Weinmar to LaCrosse, Wis.; Miss
Nell Huderle to Detroit, Minn.; Guy
Bacon, to Montevideo.

The American Union shoe repair-
ing shop will be closed for two weeks
during the holidays commencing on
Monday morning. 17011p

Before you make your own Xmas
Fruit Cake, go to Ericsson Brothers
Bakery and inspect their supply of
both dark and white, now on sale.
Will also have a full line of other
Cakes and pastry goods, special for
the holiday season. 16915

Masons and families and members
of the Eastern Star will form a large
company this Saturday evening to
witness the joint installation of offi-
cers of Aurora Lodge No. 100, A. F.
& A. M., Brainerd Chapter No. 42
Royal Arch Masons and Alpha Chap-
ter No. 23 of the Eastern Star.

Shoes, a nice line, just the thing
for a Christmas present. Any man
or boy will be pleased with a pair of
shoes from H. W. Linnemann's store
for a Christmas present. 1661ts

Neckwear as a Christmas gift al-
ways combines the elements of
beauty and use in the adornment of
man. No man ever has too many
ties and if properly selected at a
Man's store like H. W. Linnemann's
neckwear is sure to find favor. See
the Christmas neckwear in hand-
some boxes. 1661ts

The Knights of Pythias lodge met
in special session Wednesday evening
to confer the rank of page on Lyman
Babecek and Roy Wicklund. The
next meeting being Christmas, that
meeting will be postponed to Janu-
ary 7th, when the newly elected offi-
cers will be installed and additional
applicants receive the first degree.

Tarzan of the Apes lived without
bread, but he was different, he was
minus bakeries. All civilized men
eat bread and it should be clean and
wholesome; the Yankee Bakery, a
clean sanitary, up-to-date institu-
tion of modern civilization is in busi-
ness for your convenience, accomo-
dation and benefit and appreciates
your patronage. If you appreciate
good food make use of it. 1f

Some one to be lucky. Is it you?
The Patek Furniture Co. store is full
of beautiful, artistic and useful
things for Christmas that will solve
the most difficult problem for the gift
buyer, and on top of this Santa Claus
has left a prize, an absolutely free
gift for the lucky one. Will it be
you? See the window then go in-
side and ask about it before buying
elsewhere. Don't delay, time counts
now until Christmas Eve. It pays to
buy here. 16912

Good Garments Cheap

A Big Sale Saturday

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Windows

Murphy's
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Cede Part of Siberia to Japan For Aid Against Bolshevik

(By United Press)

Paris, Dec. 20.—An unconfirmed
report from Bafie, says Admiral Kol-
chak, head of the Russian anti-bol-
shevik government in Siberia, has
notified the United States in event
the allies decide to abandon Russia,
she will be compelled to cede part of
Siberia to Japan in return for Ja-
pan's aid against the bolshevik.

Berger Will Be Denied Seat

(By United Press)

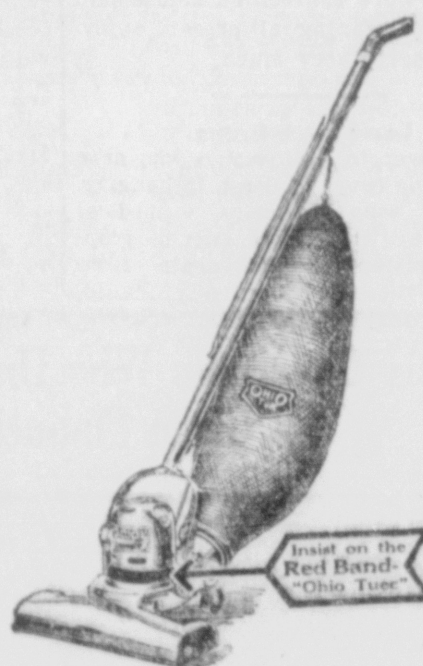
Washington, Dec. 20.—Victor Ber-
ger, Milwaukee socialist re-elected to
congress, will be prevented from tak-
ing a seat in the same manner as
when he asked to be sworn in at the
opening of the special session in
March, house leaders said today.

Daily Thought.

The loves that meet in Paradise
hall cast out fear, and Paradise hath
room for you and me and all.—Chris-
tina G. Rossetti.

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less with surprisingly little effort
—saves time, labor, rugs and mon-
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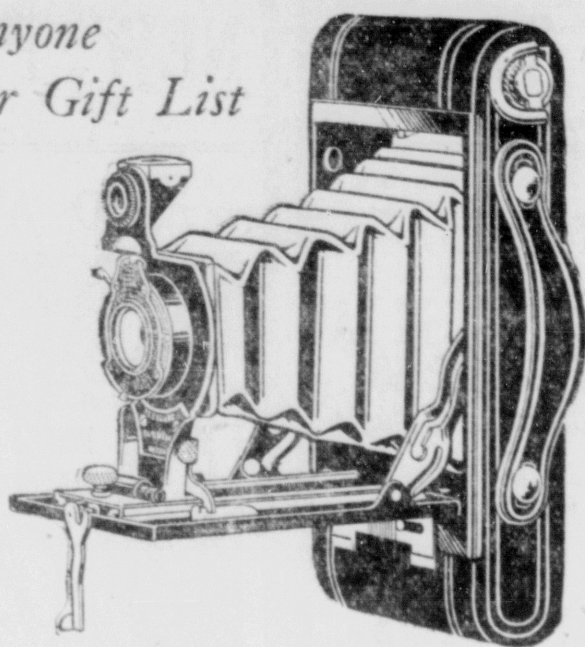
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WOMAN'S REALM

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

To be Given by Choir and School of the Swedish Baptist Church

The Christmas program to be given by the choir and school of the Swedish Baptist church, corner Oak and Tenth streets, will begin promptly at 7 o'clock on the evening of Christmas day. The program will be in two parts.

FIRST PART

- 1—Song by the congregation.
- 2—Reading of the scriptures and prayer—Aug. Anderson.
- 3—Dialogue by the boys in the primary department.
- 4—Song by Mauritz Hagberg with guitar accompaniment.
- 5—Dialogue by girls in the primary department.
- 6—Recitation by Elsie Hagberg.
- 7—Song by the primary department.
- 8—Song by the Sunshine and Altruistic classes.
- 9—Vocal Solo by Rev. Peterson.
- 10—Flute solo by Axel Anderson.

INTERMISSION

SECOND PART

A beautiful sacred Christmas cantata, "Blessed is He That Cometh", to be given by the choir and the school. About forty will take part. After the cantata the doxology will be sung by all; congregation included, and the benediction pronounced by the pastor.

There will be a Christmas tree and the church beautifully decorated.

Degree of Honor Election

Election of officers of Degree of Honor lodge were:

Past Chief of Honor—Emma Betts.
Chief of Honor—Mamie Sheets.
Lady of Honor—Celia Jackson.
Chief of Ceremonies—Elizabeth Hall.

Recorder—Ida Hagberg.
Financier—Helen Gustafson.
Treasurer—Aletta Saltee.
Lady Usher—Minnie Giles.
Inside Watch—Alice Christain.
Outside Watch—Besise Kaufman.
Musician—Eleanor Kunitz.
Captain of Degree Staff—Edith Bentley.
Physician—Dr. Beise.

Something New

"Paxmas" a new word coined by the Western Union, is a telegraphed money order written and sent at any time, but delivered on Christmas morning in the form of a draft with a suitably worded message of good cheer on a beautifully engraved Paxmas telegraph blank.

Surprise Party

Twenty-five young people surprised Miss Eva Boggan-ton at her home on Thursday evening on the occasion of her birthday. She was showered with pretty presents. Games and dancing were sources of amusement during the evening, all present enjoying the party very much.

Death by Hanging.

In answer to a physician who asks what is the cause of death in hanging, and how soon it ensues, a medical journal says that if the knot be properly adjusted, instant death from breaking the spinal cord is produced, but in a majority of cases asphyxiation is the cause of death. In this the man may retain consciousness for from a few seconds to a minute and a half and may retain life for from 15 to 20 minutes.

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CHRISTMAS THE THEME

White Christmas Exercises at First Presbyterian Church Sunday Evening

Presbyterian church morning service at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "Christmas Eve and the Shepherds." A male quartet will sing "Judea Fair," Wilson.

There will be special exercises in the Sunday school and an offering made for the stricken land of Syria. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Mrs. J. A. McKay will be the leader.

Primary department at 9:30. The special children's party will be given the children on Tuesday afternoon.

White Christmas exercises will be given in the church on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program is as follows:

Voluntary—Miss Alma Brown.
Orchestra—"March Romaine" Gounod.

Chorus—"And There Were Shepherds," Wilson.

Lesson. Prayer
Duet—Russell and Helen Reese—"Story That Santa Claus Told," Sawyer.

Solo—"Birthday of the King" D. H. Fullerton.

Hymn—Announcements.
Solo—"There Were Shepherds," Scott—Mrs. Smith.

Chorus—"Down Through the Ages" Lorenz.

Orchestra—"Missionary Overture" Allen.

Bringing of Gifts to the Cross.—White Christmas.

For Visiting Guest

Mrs. Fred T. Lincoln entertained a group of ladies this afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. A. Pitkin of Thief River Falls, who is her guest for the week. The hours were from 3 to 5 P. M. Light refreshments were served. Mrs. Pitkin is prominent in club and social circles of Thief River Falls and widely known as a successful director of community plays, light comedies and home talent productions. She will spend Christmas with relatives in St. Paul, her former home.

HONORED BY FRIENDS

Martin Anderson, President Railway Clerks. Given Presents by Members of Union

A pleasant surprise was given Martin Anderson Monday evening by the members of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks. He was presented with a gold fountain pen and a beautiful leather rocker. In appreciation of services rendered as president of the B. R. C. for the past two years.

The presentation speech was made by D. D. Finne, after which a fine program was given and a fine lunch served. Mr. Anderson was re-elected as president for the coming year. R. G. Jenkins composed the following which was read by D. D. Finne:

Martin Anderson, this token,
Which we give to you tonight,
Is our unselfish gratitude,
To one who's fought our fight.

If I were but an orator,
Or a poet or a bard,
The task I have before me,
Wouldn't be one-half so hard.

So in plain and simple language,
I will tell you, as is due,
Of the deep appreciation,
That "380" owes to you.

To you who championed our cause,
Fought for our rights,
Upheld our laws,
What more befitting token then,
Could be if it were not a pen.
For it is said, and all have heard,
The pen is mightier than the sword,
For thus our battles he has won,
In wordy combat, pen or tongue.

We know you will stay in the chair,
And we have placed another where.
You may sit down at any time
And wield the gavel to the rhyme.
O children's voices low and sweet,
For that lodge every night doeth meet

In future years when Father Time,
Has silver tipped your hair,
May you look back with pride,
Upon this night, this pen, this chair.

And now to show our gratitude,
From all among the ranks,
I'll ask that we all give to him,
A rising vote of thanks.

Can Hire Wedding Presents.
In Paris there are shops where wedding "presents" can be hired. Mothers who wish the display of presents at their daughter's wedding to be dazzling can go to the shops and arrange for borrowing articles. An employee attends the wedding in disguise to watch the presents.

Just a Family Row.
One night about 11 o'clock I was making preparations for bed and heard a peculiar sound at the foot of the stairway. I armed myself with a poker and a flashlight and proceeded to make an attack. As I was rounding the curve of the stairway I flashed the light and found the parrot had gotten out of his cage and was fighting the cat.—Exchange.



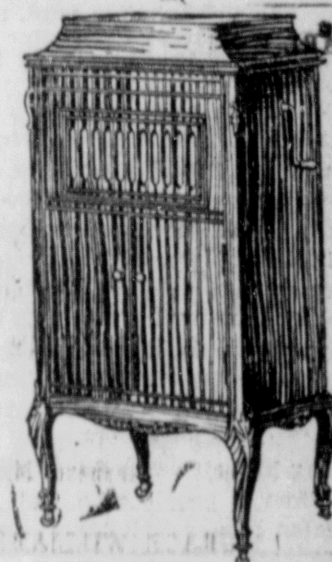
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GIRLS TRAINED FOR GOOD JOBS

Hundreds of young women, trained by Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., are making good as stenographers and bookkeepers. Many have accepted even more responsible positions. About 22 ex-pupils are Asst. bank cashiers, the latest being Eleanor Rambeck, now with the Farmers State Bank, Mavie, Minn.

Miss M. Russell was recently placed as court stenographer for the State's Atty., and Miss E. Winter with the Dazey State Bank.

"Follow the Successful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for information.

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"IF"

The World believes there is no room for doubt that if Mr. Hughes had been elected president, that if he had brought the war to a victorious close, that if he had gone to Europe as President Wilson went and helped to negotiate the identical treaty that President Wilson helped negotiate, line for line and word for word, practically every Republican Senator who is now against it would have been for it.—New York World.

If Mr. Hughes as president, had become obsessed with the conviction that he was a Messiah come to save the world from dying of a broken heart; if he had developed an abiding faith in his own personal omniscience and a conscientious certainty that all who held other views than his own had pygmy minds and should be hanged; if he had put himself at the head of a carefully selected group of nonentities and gone to Europe representing himself as having a "mandate" from a people who had just repudiated him and all his works by

a crushing vote at the polls; if, as the possessor of this "mandate" which he did not possess, he had paraded himself in triumphal progresses through all the accessible capitals of Europe; if he had spent six months in demonstrating how helpless he was in matching minds with diplomatic adepts; if he had then come back with such a preposterous document as Mr. Wilson brought back with him; and if, on the heels of that, he had railed and raged and scolded himself into an alarming state of collapse during a transcontinental tour on which he abused the United States senate because they refused to hang that document like a millstone around their country's neck as a preliminary to a headlong plunge into the raging waters of European, Asiatic and African strife—if Mr. Hughes had done such things as these, then anything would be possible. Vice-President Marshall might run a roulette-wheel gambling game in the United States senate chamber. Jim Ham Lewis might develop a sense of humor. Bursleson might abandon miracles and take to getting letters delivered during the lifetimes of their writers. Senator LaFollette might finish speaking a piece inside of three days. The senate might dispose of legislation by shaking dice for it instead of voting on it. Republican senators might even stand for such a monstrosity as Mr. Wilson brought triumphantly home with him.

If you can imagine Charles Evans Hughes, as president of the United States, doing as President Wilson has done during the past year, then the sky is the limit in imagining the fantastic and absurd. We are surprised at the sober moderation of our neighbor's little flight of fancy.—Harveys Weekly.

China Buying Books.
 China is becoming a very heavy buyer of British books, especially textbooks.

NORTHWEST NEWS

(By United Press)

Hit Reporter

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 20.—The postponed trial of State Auditor Kotsitzky for alleged assault on a newspaper reporter will be heard today. The state official is alleged to have assaulted a Bismarck reporter for Nonpartisan papers several months ago.

Coal Strikes and Railways

St. Paul, Dec. 20.—The coal strike with its lingering effect on the railroads particularly, was one of the biggest wrenches in the railroad machinery with return to private control imminent.

Railroad officials here today admitted the coal situation seriously affected their preliminary plans for private operation of the roads as soon as the government turns them back expected January 1. Aside from that the whole future of the railroads is bound up in congressional action on regulation.

The keenest railroad competition in the history of the country is looked for when the roads are returned. The war revolutionized railroading and as one manager expressed it:

"I don't believe they'll ever get entirely over it."

The long supervision of the government over the lines has turned over a lot of new leaves for the roads. Details of operation and organization have been so altered under government control that officials don't know exactly what is going to happen until it happens.

For several months the major roads have been preparing for the return of their roads. It will be many months before railroads are operating on a "normal" basis, and managers explain that by "normal" they do not mean that the roads will

ever be back on a pre-war basis of operation and organization.

The war for traffic will be the biggest thing all the roads will jump into for once. A great army of traffic solicitors, thrown out of jobs during the war, or transferred to other departments, will be the first ones to get activity into the fields. Some of the elaborate advertising and soliciting organizations of the big roads will be re-established at once when the roads go back, while others because of the financial situations, will have to work up their organizations gradually and carefully.

The coast lines are expected to show the most energetic development of their pre-war business getting organizations. Thousands of tons of coast freight tonnage have been diverted to water routes because of the hundreds of ships built during the war now being used in coastwise traffic through the Panama canal.

Some railroads claim they have not been handling 70 per cent of the amount of coast freight they formerly handled.

Ice Harvest

Devils Lake, Dec. 20.—Three thousand five hundred tons of ice are being harvested at Wood Lake near Tokyo by an ice company of this city. Conditions are reported to be ideal on the ice from fourteen to sixteen inches thick.

The railroad company will not begin to put up their supply in this vicinity until in January.

Fargo Building

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 20.—Building operations in Fargo for eleven months ending the first of December, almost doubled those of the year 1918. Total permits issued up to the first of the month reached \$1,584,000 while those for last year were only \$824,000. The biggest building boom in this city was in 1916 when permits amounting to \$1,500,000 were secured.

British Appoint Representative at Berlin

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 20.—Lord Kelmarlock has been appointed British charge d'affaires at Berlin, the Post reported today.

He will be Great Britain's first post war diplomat representative in Berlin. The date for his departure has not been set the newspaper stated.

Three Killed and Three Injured in an Auto Accident

(By United Press)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 20.—Three persons were killed and three others injured when an automobile plunged off a bridge at Cascade near here today.

Especially the Walking Kind. Ghosts are regarded as gods in some parts of India.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Tomorrow

For real thrilling, exciting adventure, "No Man's Land" a new Metro play, starring the popular actor, Bert Lytell, which will be seen at the Best theatre tomorrow, would be impossible to duplicate. This is a screen version of the novel of that name by the famous author of adventurous fiction, Louis Joseph Vance.

Mr. Lytell proves that he is well called "the athletic actor." In this picture he rescues a man from drowning, fights German sailors by the score, wrests a gun from a would-be suicide, blows up an enemy raider with a cleverly concealed bomb, and last but not least—rescues the beautiful lady from the hands of desperate men.

At New Park Tomorrow

"Who ever heard of an actress writing a popular novel?" inquired an incredulous male person during the filming of Elsie Ferguson's new Artercraft photoplay, "A Society Exile" which is coming to the New Park tomorrow.

"Lots of them have," a woman came right back. "There's Mrs. Leonard Thomas, who writes poetry under the name of 'Michael Strange'; and Carmen Sylva, the well known poetess and novelist, was not only heiress to millions, but the Queen of Rumania besides."

The question was occasioned by the fact that in "A Society Exile" Miss Ferguson plays the part of Nora Shand, the daughter of a millionaire and the author of a "best seller." She is taken to England by an aunt, where she is courted by a dissolute lord, Nora refuses him, and in revenge the thwarted Britisher has her booted out of England on a trumped up charge. She goes to Italy and becomes a resident of Venice, where happiness finally comes to her. The picture is from the well known English play, "We Can't Be as All That," by Henry Arthur Jones, and was directed by George Fitzmaurice. In the supporting cast are William P. Carleton, Warburton Gamble, Julia Dean and Henry Stephenson.

YANK "DESERTERS" SAY FRENCH GIRLS VAMPED

New York, Dec. 18.—Of 1,500 alleged deserters court-martialed at the New York navy yards since the United States entered the war, twenty-three attributed their overstayed leaves to French girls who "insisted on making love to them," it became known.

Howard Payne's Great Song

The song "Home Sweet Home" was written by John Howard Payne, and was introduced by him into the play "Clari, the Maid of Milan," which was later changed into opera. At the time of the writing of this lyric, Payne was almost starving in an attic in Palais-royal, Paris. Most authorities agree that the music of the song is a Sicilian air, adapted by Sir Henry Rowley Bishop.

G. M. Cohan's Character Comedy, "A Prince There Was," Is His Best Play Down to Date



A Scene From "A Prince There Was."

"A Prince There Was" is George M. Cohan's newest comedy, and in New York, where it played all last season, it was called the best American character play ever seen on our stage. Certainly it reveals Mr. Cohan as a merrier, more mature playwright than even he has shown himself before, even in the inimitable "Broadway Jones" or "45 Minutes From Broadway."

The scenes of "A Prince There Was" are laid in New York, though the same characters might have been played anywhere and the play have progressed just the same. The time is the present, the very up-to-the-minute present, in which the author himself lives. Needless to say, the action is quick, spirited and full of American "per" and fun. It is presented by Cohan & Harris.

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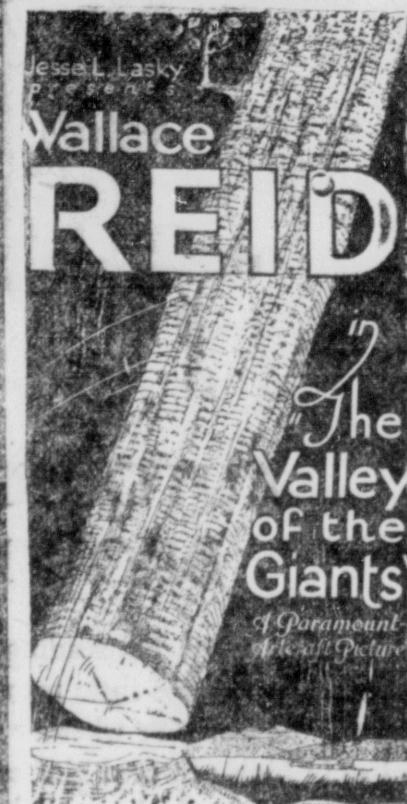
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In

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MEMBERSHIP DRIVE CHAMBER COMMERCE

Initiated at Meeting of Special Committee Called by Chairman
D. D. Schrader

STARTED WITH A SUPPER

White and Blue Sides Chosen and Captains Named, Details of the Contest Arranged

Meeting of the special committee on membership of the Chamber of Commerce called by Chairman D. D. Schrader at the West Cafe on Friday, December 19th at 6 P. M. with the following present:

D. D. Schrader, S. R. Adair, O. A. Peterson, J. A. Hoffbauer, Harry Butler, George Lowe, B. L. Lagerquist, D. H. G. Ingersoll, Edw. Anderson, Dr. Irving Badesau, Clyde Parker, James E. Stevenson, O. J. Bouma, Theo. B. Brusegaard, A. J. Hayes, Milton Mahlum, Harrison B. Sherwood, Ed Levant, Dr. W. A. Erickson, Frank Schrader, Arthur Koop, W. E. Haydon, F. T. Lincoln.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. West for the excellent menu served. Each member paid for his own plate.

The committee then repaired to the Chamber of Commerce rooms where a smoker was enjoyed at the expense of the house and social committee.

Chairman Schrader announced the purpose of the meeting to be the perfecting of plans for a comprehensive membership drive early in the new year and outlined a plan whereby two teams would be selected and the drive conducted with a spirit of keen rivalry between the two teams, to secure the largest number of memberships.

Dr. Howard Ingersoll was made temporary captain of the Blues and O. J. Bouma temporary captain of the Whites. In the draw for workers on these teams the following were selected for the Blues: O. A. Peterson, S. R. Adair, A. J. Hayes, Arthur Koop, Walter F. Wieland, Ed Levant, Harry J. Carlson, Dr. Irving Badesau, Milton Mahlum, John H. McKay, G. W. Chadbourne and H. B. Sherwood.

For the Whites: James E. Stevenson, Edw. Anderson, O. J. Bouma, Clyde Parker, Harry Butler, W. E. Haydon, Dr. W. A. Erickson, Theo. B. Brusegaard, John A. Hoffbauer, B. L. Lagerquist, Franz R. N. Anderson, George E. Lowe and James Casey.

The teams organized and O. J. Bouma was made permanent captain of the Whites and S. R. Adair, captain of the Blues.

The two captains were given authority to select six additional members of their respective teams from the membership of the Chamber.

It was decided to open the drive on the 6th day of January, 1920, and to make an intensive campaign for the one day, to be known as "Chamber of Commerce Day." The different workers to be given until the 9th day of January to close up their campaigns.

F. G. Schrader of Pequot was made captain for the drive in that place to secure associate members in the Chamber of Commerce.

It was decided to conduct a thorough publicity campaign the week prior to the opening of the drive by the use of slides to be run at the local theatres, speakers and wide newspaper publicity. F. T. Lincoln was made or was delegated to have charge of advertising and publicity work and to consult with Mr. Parker in the matter of running slides at the theatres. Mr. Lincoln and Mr. Parker met later in the evening and selected the following speakers:

Mal Clark, Walter Wieland, R. R. Gould, James E. Stevenson, A. J. Hayes, H. P. Dunn, W. H. Cleary, D. H. Fullerton and F. T. Lincoln.

The rival teams will meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms on the evening of Monday, January 5th, 1920 at 6:15 P. M. Lunch will be served following which the team captains will draw from the roster of the Chamber of Commerce and the entire personnel of memberships will be distributed between them in order that everyone may be signed up for another year.

The secretary will prepare a list of prospectives or persons not identified with the chamber and their names will be taken by the two teams and efforts made to secure them as a

member and to interest them in the work of the organization.

The membership committee earnestly urges the cooperation of every member of the Chamber of Commerce in this proposed drive and, with the right kind of support feels that there can be signed up a substantial and reliable membership of 400 active workers and reported at the annual meeting on Jan. 14, 1920.

WORLD WAR VETERANS ELECTION OF OFFICERS

George E. Fricker is Re-elected President of the Organization

GUNARD ERIKSON POST NO. 10

Banquet to be Given January 14th, 1920 at the Ransford Hotel

On Thursday evening, December 18 Gunard Erikson, Post No. 10, of the World War Veterans held an election of officers for the first six months of 1920. The officers elected were as follows:

President—George E. Fricker.
Vice President—Louis Berggreen.
Corresponding and Recording Secretary—Albert Englund.
Financial Secretary and Treasurer—Arthur Ohm.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Robert Anderson.

Three Trustees—Lawrence Clark, Albin Gronquist and Arnold Niederer.

The Post will give a banquet on January 14th, at the Ransford hotel, and it is expected that at least a hundred members will attend, this being the first banquet given.

CROSBY HIGH 18, LOCAL HIGH 11

Crosby high basketball team won in a hotly contested game from Brainerd at Brainerd high school Friday night by an 18 to 11 score. Bright particular stars of the game on both sides were "Dobbies." For Crosby it was Bobby Young who shone in the stellar role. For Brainerd it was Bobby Hill.

ADDING MACHINE AGENCY

Carl W. Anderson of Brainerd Office Supply, Gets Agency for the Dalton Machine

Further proof that Brainerd is growing as a business center for the Northwest is indicated by the Dalton Adding Machine Co., of Cincinnati, establishing a local agency here.

The Brainerd Office Supply Co., 614 Laurel street, of which C. W. Anderson is manager has been given the exclusive agency for this territory, including Brainerd, Little Falls, Royaton and Staples, and also covering the Cuyuna range.

The "Dalton" is claimed to be the simplest calculating and adding machine on the market, having but ten keys and will add, subtract, multiply, divide and do anything any other machine will do.

Mr. Anderson has just received one of the latest model machines and has it on display.

BREAK IN SERVICE

Lights on and Off Friday Evening Moving Pictures Ceased to Move and Organ Quit

Friday evening, when movie theatres were just under way, a break occurred on the power line between Brainerd and the Gruenhagen farm and for over half an hour the lights played hide and seek.

The movie kings and queens flickered on and off the screen, the electric organ worked spasmodically, city pumping was running intermittently, restaurants eked out the lighting of their places with plumbers candles.

SALVATION ARMY

Christmas Kettles to be Placed Upon the Street as in Past Years

The usual Christmas kettles of the Salvation Army will be placed upon the street as in former years and a Xmas basket given out to deserving families, to add cheer and comfort to the homes of the needy poor in Brainerd. Captain O. W. Knapp, commanding officer.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

As per agreement between the Retail Clerks and Merchants of Brainerd, all stores will be closed every evening before the holidays. Will the public kindly remember this, and do their purchasing by daylight.

"CHEATING CHEATERS" FINE PRODUCTION

Keith Vawter Company Gives a Fin-ished Production of Max Mar-ain's Thrilling Play

SHOW ONE OF BEST IN BRAINERD

Those Neglecting to See It, Cheated Themselves of Real Pleasure

"One of the best shows given in Brainerd and one of the best companies ever appearing in Brainerd," was the general verdict given by the audience fortunate enough to see Keith Vawter's company in "Cheating Cheaters." The people who missed that show cheated themselves of real pleasure and profit.

"Cheating Cheaters" is the first of a series of four of New York's best dramas and operas to be presented at the New Park Theatre.

Dates of the others are "The Thirteenth Chair, January 15; "The Only Girl," February 9; and "The Gypsy Trail," April 20.

SETTING THINGS RIGHT

Miss Vivian Anderson Writes Lowell School Shovelers Originators Not Followers

In a letter to the Dispatch Miss Vivian Anderson refers to the Lowell school shoveling army news and says:

"A mistake was made in Wednesday's paper stating that the Lowell school had joined the army of snow shovelers. They are keeping up the work started by four intermediate grade children who shoveled the entire walk in front of the school yard and the walk leading to the building on Friday, Nov. 28.

"These four children feel that they took the lead rather than joined the others as the idea originated among this little band."

WARNING TO WATER CON-SUMERS

It has become known that many consumers of city water are letting faucets, taps or toilet fixtures run to keep their line from freezing; also otherwise wilfully wasting water. This is detrimental to the service other consumers are entitled to, and it endangers the whole city because it is interfering with the pressure needed in case of fire. The pumping plant is not equipped in a manner to permit needless wastage.

Notice is hereby given to all consumers that upon any indication that any one wilfully indulges in any of the above mentioned ways of wasting water, said water service shall be discontinued immediately.

January 19th, 1919.
WATER & LIGHT BOARD.

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MOOSE TEAM WINS FROM ELKS' FIVE

Matched Game Played at the Cook Alleys on Friday Witnessed by Large Crowd

OELWEIN HIGHEST AVERAGE

Moose Scored 2403 Pins in Three Games, the Elks Bowled 2196, Losing by 207 Pins

The Moose team in three games defeated the Elks team by 207 pins at the Fred Cook alleys on Friday evening. Rooters for both sides were present in large numbers and the occasion took on all the aspects of a big city tournament. The excitement and high tension, as in all matched games, worked toward a reduction of high scores.

Oelwein of the Moose was high man of the contest, bowling 525, an average of 175. He started off good, with four or more strikes, and bowled consistently to the finish.

The Elks made their best showing at the start of the first game. O'Brien had to leave and Drogseth was substituted. Drogseth was not in his best form and voluntarily retired in favor of Roderick.

Mayor F. E. Little showed his best form in the second frame of the tournament when he bowled 181. On the Elks side, the whole team only showed flashes of its true form. There was Ziske of the Yankee bakery, a veteran, slumping to 140 for low and 190 for high; Walt Kunitz bumping 133 and then hitting 183. Nobody's curved ball or hook was breaking right and the air was smoky as the gallant five sweat and stewed and tried to come out from under.

Here's the record of the pin appling:

MOOSE TEAM			
Oelwein	191	175	159
Benda	169	141	151
Little	114	181	180
Cook	179	140	171
Happy Englund	137	192	182
	781	829	793
ELKS TEAM			
Kunitz	169	133	183
O'Brien	127		
Drogseth		109	
Roderick			101
Alderman	142	147	154
Turcotte	149	165	133
Ziske	163	140	190
	741	694	761

Totals were Moose 2403, Elks 2196, the Moose winning by 207 pins.

WITH THE PIN BUSTERS

The merry-go-round tournament at Cook's alleys starts December 21. It will be played by two men teams, each participating once. One man,

however, may have any number of different partners.

F. R. Ziske of the Yankee Bakery, Happy Englund and Oscar Oelwein are tied for first place in total number of 200 games scored this month.

Card of Thanks

Wishing to express our heartfelt thanks to Rev. Peterson, the music and duet rendered, also congregation, relations and friends for the beautiful flowers and sympathy shown in the departure of our little Douglas Immanuel, Job 1:21.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Erickson, and Family.

20 THOUGHT LOST AT SEA

Five Seamen and 15 Stowaways Missing as Cuban Ship Sinks

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 19—Five seamen and fifteen stowaways are believed lost when the Cuban schooner Sunbeam turned turtle yesterday, 135 miles off the Virginia capes.

Captain Riveron and two members of the crew were brought to Norfolk on the coast guard cutter Manning.

More Silk Hosiery

Another lot of the kind of silk hosiery you will like to give, has been received. We can show you several qualities and the very best of shades and black and white.

Silk Undergarments

Have you thought how acceptable silk undergarments are for Christmas Gifts? Camisoles, chemise, brassieres, petticoats also pettibockers. See our selection of these garments.

Christmas Gloves

We are showing a very large line for your selection. Beautiful qualities. All are most acceptable.

H. F. Michael Co.

Smudge on Thumb Causes Rail Wreck

(By United Press)

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 20—Smudge on his thumb caused the Northwestern train wreck at Eyota Wednesday morning it developed yesterday.

Engineer Chas. De Bar, of train number 503 said that grease on his glove obliterated train orders so he thought Number 516 was to side track at Eyota for him. The order read the reverse. Thirty-four persons were hurt on the train but none seriously.

Recommend New Department

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 20—A new department for the adjusting of disputes will be proposed to President Wilson and labor organizations and employers, in the official recommendation of the district commission of the department, it was stated yesterday.

Quick Way To End Stomach Trouble

Wouldn't you like to know once more what it means to feel a good healthy appetite and then sit down and enjoy a hearty meal without suffering from sour, acid stomach, gas, belching, bloating, heart palpitation, nervousness and other distresses as you usually do? Here's a sure way to end stomach trouble. Get a bottle of Liquid MAL-ILIX. Take it as directed. Watch the result. You'll eat as you never ate before. And you'll enjoy eating. Stomach distress with you will be a thing of the past—gone and forgotten. No matter what you've tried or what has failed, try MAL-ILIX. MAL-ILIX will not fail—it is absolutely guaranteed by The Marlix Co., Fort Wayne, Ind., and druggists. Get a bottle right now and try it. The first dose will prove

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OLD PAPERS—5c BUNDLE

SATURDAY NIGHT AT CLARK'S

This is the LAST EVENING for shopping before Christmas. We have arranged for special clerks for tonight, so that the crowds we expect may be properly served. When you have searched everywhere else for that Christmas present—Try Clark's

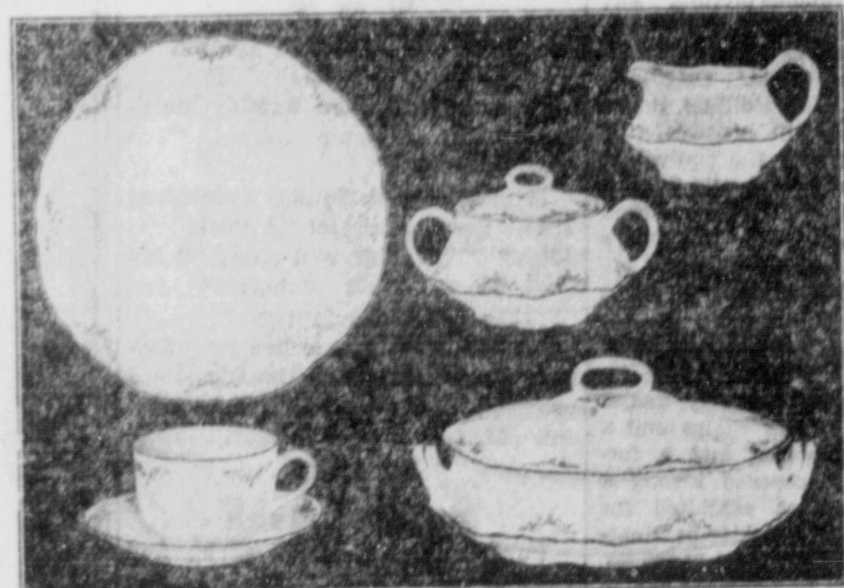
The World Phonograph



Because of our shortage on "Brunswicks" we obtained a shipment of 6 only World's—a high class instrument with spruce all wood tone chamber. As a real special—we offer the \$125 Model at \$95 and the \$175 one at \$125 until Christmas. Easy terms of payment and no interest.

Library and Table Lamps, Library and Davenport Tables, Spinnet Desks and other Desks—All continue at a discount
Of 20 Per Cent

A Big Shipment of Chinaware Just Received



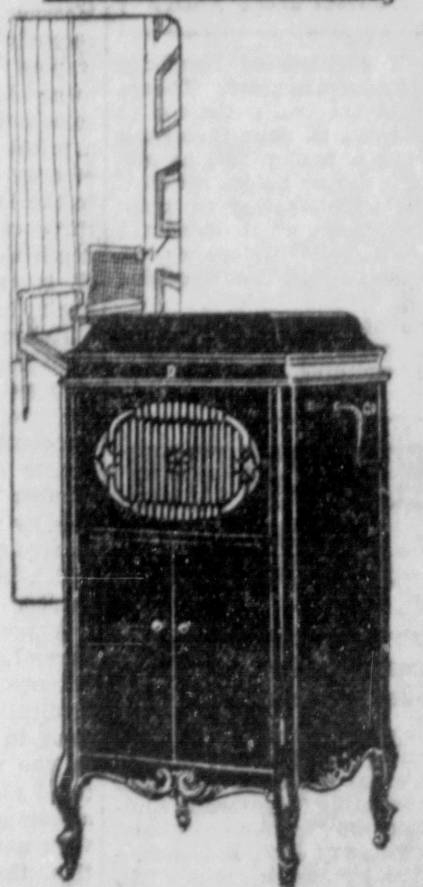
The set pictured is the Federal, a pure white semi-porcelain with gold lace border, and is priced very specially at \$8.75 for a complete 42 piece dinner set. The Edgemore, a conventional border high grade design, in pink and green is priced at \$15.30 for 42 pieces.

Just Received By Express
Erector Sets, Gilbert Wheel Toys, Wireless Sets, Telegraph sets, Designer Sets, Motors and other high grade toys.

"CLARK'S"

"Brainerd's Biggest Store"

The Brunswick



Only 4 Brunswicks remain unsold. It is the talk of the musical world, and you had better choose tonight. Easy terms of course, and absolutely no interest on deferred payments.

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Dispatch Want Ads

PRICE—One cent a word for each insertion.

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WANTED—Boarders at 802 S. 10th St. 7853-16713

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1207 Oak St. S. E. 7850-16716

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. J. H. Krekelberg, 21 Bluff Ave., Phone 754. 7799-1561f

WANTED—Woman at Deerwood Sanatorium for domestic work. 7847-16617eod

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, well heated. Windsor hotel. 7861-1704f

FOR RENT—Modern steam heated apartment. R. R. Wise. 7864-1704f

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms in modern home. 607 Holby St. 7862-17012

FOR RENT—Five room completely furnished house, modern except heat. J. H. Krekelberg. 7817-1594f

FOR RENT—Desirable well furnished room in modern home, also garage. 411 Grove St., Phone 702-L. 7859-17012

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FOR SALE—Tame hay. Call 400X-5. 7802-15712e

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FOR SALE—Continued

FOR SALE—Household goods at 415 Oak St. 7851-16713

FOR SALE—Light bob sleds like new. 814 S. 7th St. 7856-16913

FOR SALE—Wild hay. Phone 132x3. 7854-16816

FOR SALE—Bottled milk, 9 qts. \$1. Phone 400X-5. 1009 S. 10th St. 7857-16916

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey milk cow. J. M. Hayes, 1022 7th St. S. 7860-1701f

FOR SALE—Seven room modern house on North Side. See E. E. Blackledge, owner, Bluff Ave. N. 7710-1391f

FOR SALE—Jersey heifer calf born Nov. 28, and fresh Jersey milk cow. J. M. Hayes, 1022 7th St. S. 7858-1691f

ARMY OVERCOATS—\$15.00 each. Dyed fast colors in blue and black. A snappy civilian coat for younger men. In sizes from 30 to 40. Think of it. For \$15.00 only, you get an all wool overcoat made under government supervision. These coats are just the thing for auto use. Don't overlook this chance. Here's a bargain and honest value. Exchanges made if not correct. Mail money order to B. & K. Mfg. Co., 6121 S. Halsted St., Chicago, Ill. 7863-17012

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Jobs of plumbing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Leave orders at 514 Woodward St. 7857-1301f

LOST—A Weed tire chain for truck. Leave at O'Brien Mercantile Co. store. 7849-1661f

WHY GO TO CHURCH

"As His custom was, He went into the synagogue on the Sabbath.—Luke 4:16.

Jesus said: "I have given you an example." Well may we follow in His footsteps. It is good to go to church occasionally, but is BETTER to go regularly.

That is indeed a fine custom, to attend regularly upon the services of worship; it is a custom that makes for sturdy Christian citizenship here below—and the blessings thereof abide in Eternity.

REV. FRED M. OHMS.
Pastor Zion Evangelical Church
Fourth Ave. and Forsyth St.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

Bethlehem Evangelical Church
10:30 English service.
The installation of new members will take place at this service.
2:30 P. M. Sunday school.
4:00 P. M. choir practice.—J. H. Bunge, pastor.

Peoples Congregational Church
Sunday school 10 A. M.
Preaching service 11 A. M.
Christian Endeavor meeting 6:45, led by Thelma Helm.
Preaching service at 7:30.
All are cordially invited to these services.—Rev. C. N. Sennett, pastor.

Salvation Army
Holiness meeting 11 a. m.
Company meeting 3 p. m.
Salvation meeting 7:30 p. m.
Young Peoples meeting every Friday evening.
Band of Love class meets each Saturday at 3 p. m. Captain O. W. Knapp, commanding officer.

First Congregational Church
Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "A Christmas Message."
Sunday school 11:45.
Evening service 7:30. Subject to be announced Sunday morning.
Week evening service Thursday evening 7:30. The home in which the meeting will be held will be announced Sunday morning.

Zion Evangelical Church
Ave. and Forsyth St.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Divine worship 11 a. m.
Y. P. A. 6:45 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Our Christmas service will be rendered 7:30 o'clock Dec. 25, to which all members and friends are cordially invited. Fred M. Ohms, pastor.

Swedish Bethany Church
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 a. m. Subject: "A Testimony."
Evening service at 7:30. Subject: "The Word of Life."
"Julotta" on Christmas Day at 6 a. m.
Children's Christmas program on Sunday evening Dec. 28. P. G. Fallquist, minister.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church
Services in English on Sunday evening at 7:45. Song by Junior choir.
No Sunday school and bible class.
Practice for Christmas program at 10 A. M.

"God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."—E. R. Rorem, pastor.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
7th Street
Norwegian sermon Sunday morning at 11. Sermon subject "The Glorious Christ."
English sermon Sunday evening at 7:45. Sermon subject "A Fools Paradise." The choir will sing: "O My Soul, Bless Thou Jehovah" and "Father, We Come to Thee."
At the morning service in offering will be taken for the Christmas program. Let every member be present. M. L. Hostager, pastor.

First M. E. Church
Public worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Morning subject "Working With God."
Evening subject "The Coming of the Lord"—an up-to-date question.
Bible school at 12.
Epworth League at 7. The young people have charge of this very live meeting.

A wonderful Christmas service is being arranged for Christmas morning at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to these services. E. A. Cooke, minister.

Christian Science
Christian Science services are held in Iron Exchange building, Iron Exchange hall, at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Is the Universe

mas Splendor." Anthem "The Shepherd of Bethlehem" by E. H. Lorenz.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the close of the evening sermon.

Special music by the orchestra.
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Classes for all conducted by Supt. Geo. A. Beale and music led by orchestra.

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 for all young people. Everybody welcome to all services of the church.

IS ANCIENT GAME

Football One of Oldest Sports Known to Man.

As Played Today It Is Said to Be a Mild and Tame Exercise Compared With the Strenuous Original Form.

Football is considered a strenuous game, but the style of play in this generation is a mild and tame exercise as compared to the original forms of the sport, according to a bulletin from the National Geographic Society.

The history of the autumn classic is described by J. R. Hildebrand in a communication to the society, which follows:

"Running, throwing, hitting and kicking are the fundamental muscular operations of America's characteristic sports, baseball, football, tennis and golf. The peoples of antiquity manifested all those instincts in cruder form.

"Luzon hillmen, the Polynesians and the Eskimo and Sumatra Islanders had games played by kicking a ball. Greeks played it, and the Roman game, harpastum, derived its name from the Greek 'I seize,' which is evidence that carrying the ball was practiced by them. With shoes of hide, the medieval Italians played a game which seems the direct ancestor of the Anglo-Saxon college sport. Gaelic scholars point to a football game in Ireland before the time of Christ, and until comparatively recent times Shrove Tuesday was as distinctively an occasion for football as is our Thanksgiving today.

"In old England football was even rougher than most sports of those early times. James I thought it was 'meeter for lambs than making able theusers thereof.' Henry VIII and Elizabeth ruled against it. Edward II frowned upon it for its interference with archery and also because of the commotion it caused. In those times it was played in the city streets. A writer of the sixteenth century called it a 'devilish pastime' and charged it with inciting 'every

and sometimes brawling, murder and homicide."

"Nevertheless, by the time of Charles II football had become fairly established at Cambridge. It was ever held in high esteem in Ireland. There, when all other sports were prohibited for archery's sake, 'only the great football' was exempt. Women joined with the men in playing it on Shrove Tuesdays. So many participated that few knew the whereabouts of the ball. An expedient which not so long ago aroused a furore in the American sporting world was adopted by a player who shook out the shavings with which the balls of those days were stuffed and carried it under his shirt to the goal.

"Abandoned as a general pastime because of its roughness, it was retained in colleges until, within the past half century, it sprang into renewed popularity in greatly modified form.

"The British carried football into Jerusalem, when they recovered the sacred city. Missionaries have taught it to heathen tribes.

"The reason why it has become a haumaiden of civilization and is so popular among college men of America was summarized by Howard S. Bliss, writing about the Syrian Protestant college at Beirut, of which he was president, in an article for the National Geographic Magazine.

"You will find the son of a prince playing football under the captaincy of a peasant or the son of a cook. We believe in football there and we have 17 or 18 different football teams in college. The game develops the ability to receive a hard blow without showing the white feather or drawing a dagger. This means that when the men get out of college they will stand upon their feet as men."

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Muscatine, Iowa.—"When in Oklahoma and waiting to build I was exposed to cold weather. I was not well and felt the need of some medicine to give new strength. Having seen Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery advertised I procured and used one bottle, then I used one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription also. These two combined caused me to get stronger and to throw off the unpleasant effects of the exposure. I shall always speak highly of Dr. Pierce's remedies."—Mrs. SARAH BARTON, 123 W. Front St.

A PROMINENT WOMAN FROM MINNESOTA

Duluth, Minn.—"I am a great believer in Dr. Pierce's medicines. I have taken 'Favorite Prescription' for weakness peculiar to women and found it very beneficial. I had taken other medicines for this ailment but did not get any relief. This medicine gave me the relief I was seeking. I also use the 'Pleasant Pellets' for disordered stomach, biliousness and headaches—there is nothing better. I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines from the actual use of them. I am taking 'Favorite Prescription' at the present time and it is doing me a world of good."—Mrs. R. THAYER, 4027 W. 5th St.

BETTER DEAD

Life is a burden when the body is racked with pain. Everything worries and the victim becomes despondent and downhearted. To bring back the sunshine take

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The protected trade name of this treatment Red Cross Liver Pills; put up in watch-shaped screw top bottles, enough for about two months. Sold in Brainerd by Johnson's Pharmacy and H. P. Dunn or sent by Rea Bros., Minneapolis, Minn.

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Brewster Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

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Rub Soreness from joints and muscles with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Liniment

Stop "dosing" Rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain. "St. Jacobs Liniment" is a harmless rheumatism cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops aches, lumbago, backache, neuralgia. Limber up! Get a 30 cent bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.

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